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the last twenty years, and now they shrink from un-
derstanding adherence to principles which run counter
to received habits. They have little of that spirit
which parson Taylor describes as 'heaving to the line
though the chips fly in our faces.' They are not ready
for *unpopular reform*. They will now, I think, take
sides in our disputes, which, when I was in London
before, and now, also, I have observed a hesitation in
doing; and they will take sides, most of them, with
the new organization. I except the Scottish and the
Irish Friends. However Erin may be oppressed, her
sons carry fearless hearts and free tongues; and
Scotland beats yet with all the zeal and true-hearted-
ness, which we have all along given in our thoughts
to the land of Clarkson and Wilberforce. As in old
covenanting times, the fire which has gone out here
in this generation, burns still among her hills.

Massachusetts, indeed, would have been surprised
at the aspect of an anti-slavery meeting, which thou-
dered its plaudits when O'Connell, Campbell, enter-
ed or retired, but hushed down every allusion to
our Clarkson, while he sat unnoticed in the gallery
and received with faint, cold cheers, every expression
(and they were frequent), which Americans poured
out of gratitude to Thompson. And you will hardly
believe me when I say, that abolitionists could meet
in Exeter Hall of American slavery, and place
on their list of speakers the names of Stanton,
Birney, and forget that men sitting silent beside the
to whom it was owing that Birney and Stanton, as
abolitionists, had a being—indeed that there was an-
thing like American abolition at all. Garrison was
not asked to speak in Exeter Hall. One who sat be-
side me was reproved for calling for him. Do you want
any other index of its abolitionism? I was almost
startled to hear Stanton announced there as Secretary
of the *American and Foreign Anti-Slavery Society*.
We had been battling for a fortnight with the domi-
neering, exclusive, narrow spirit of the *British and
Foreign Anti-Slavery Society*, and in spite of myself
my mind could not but associate them together. Fur-
ther thought only strengthens the resemblance.

How utterly outrageous the transfer of the Emancipa-
tor! For such an act men deserve to forfeit the
confidence of their anti-slavery brethren. The
conduct before I left might claim, perhaps, with some
the doubtful merit of being equivocal; so that some
minds might differ in their judgment of it, though my
own was clear; but the last utter breach of faith—
mere swindling—using power where they knew they
had no right—plainly outlining the purpose for which
they were appointed—deserves to bankrupt the
character as abolitionists. Had I been with you
there, I might see it to be only of a piece with the
rest. I am glad the cause is rid of such men;
we cannot go on without them, let us sink honorably
together, with the right to say, as Francis did—"We
have lost all but our honor."

In conclusion, remember us to all with you, who
we are with in heart. Circumstances, we think
make it our duty to remain on this side the water
another winter. I assure you it is with deep regret
we make up our minds to do so. You will believe it
when we say, we had rather be with you, and enjoy
the privilege of sharing your labors, relieving you an
friend Collins of something of that burden—or trying
to, at least—which you have borne up so nobly amid
desertion and treachery. Yours, affectionately,
WENDELL PHILLIPS.

☞ We understand that our colored friends in Bos-
ton intend commemorating the act of British Emancipa-
tion by appropriate exercises in Belknap S. S.
church, and a public festival, on Saturday, August 1.
The scholars attached to the different Sabbath School
will unite in the celebration. The committee hope
that parents will promote the observance of the day
by permitting their children to participate in the ex-
ercise. The order of exercises will be published next
week.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA. THE KNOWING ones
Washington are hatching a new expedient for riding
Congress of the troublesome question of abolition.
On Tuesday of last week a resolution was introduced
to retrocede to Maryland and Virginia the portions
of the District of Columbia acquired from those two
States, except so much as is contained in the corpora-
tions limits of Washington. Nothing is said as to the question
whether slavery shall continue or be abolished in
that part of the territory which will remain under the
exclusive jurisdiction of Congress; but we should not
be surprised if the Southern members should suffer
abolition to take place in Washington, if the remainder
of the District can thereby be put beyond the
reach of anti-slavery legislation. Look out for another
'compromise.' The northern members of the
next Congress will need watching.

☞ The Protest against the exclusion of the female
delegates to the London Convention is in type, but
want of room compels us to defer it till next week.

NOTICES.

ANTI-SLAVERY FAIR.
The subscribers, being anxious to sustain the anti-
slavery cause in this State, propose holding a FAIR
for the sale of useful and valuable articles, in the
town, some time in SEPTEMBER NEXT, during
the sessions of the *Anti-Slavery Convention*, the pro-
ceeds of which will go into the Treasury of the *Massa-
chusetts Anti-Slavery Society*. Anti-Slavery Soci-
eties and individuals are earnestly requested to pre-
pare articles for this Fair, and forward them to Mr.
JOHN MACFARLANE, Worcester, Mass.

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REBEKY NEWTON, MARY B. RUSSELL,
SARAH H. EARLE, R. B. SPRING,
ANNE E. COLTON, LUCY EARLE,
SARAH H. PARKER, Worcester, July 15, 1840.

☞ POLITICAL NOTICE. ☞
The friends of independent nominations for public
offices, are respectfully invited to meet on Thursday
evening, at a quarter before 8 o'clock, in Hall No. 3
Marlboro' Chapel, to choose a County Committee
and make other preliminary arrangements for the fall
elections.

All abolitionists in Boston and Chelsea, whether
old or new society men, white or colored, and all
temperance men, who are in favor of nominating aboli-
tionists and temperance men only, for legislative
and executive offices of the state and nation, are ur-
gently invited to be present.

By order of the State Central Committee,
J. W. ALDEN, Secretary.
July 20, 1840.

NOTICE.
The friends of independent nominations for public
offices, are respectfully invited to meet on Thursday
evening, at a quarter before 8 o'clock, at the M. W.
ground of Union, next evening, at 8 o'clock, A. M. The
meeting-house is to be used for the purpose, and all
may assemble and of profit to the slave.

WM. T. BRIGGS, Secretary.

MIDDLESEX COUNTY.
A Quarterly meeting of the Middlesex County A. S.
Society will be held in the Orthodox meeting-house in
Westford, on TUESDAY, the 28th of July.

Auxiliary societies are requested to send delegates,
and all persons, holding in the principles of the society,
are invited to be present, and take part in the delibera-
tions.

HARRIS COWDREY, Sec.

AN EASTERN CHRISTIAN UNION CONVEN-
TION.
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